

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Eric A. Nyberg, et al.) Date: November 14, 2006
S. N.: 10/796,424)
Filed: 03/08/2004) Art Unit: 1742
For: Feedstock composition and method of)
using same for powder metallurgy forming of) Examiner: Ngoclan Thi Mai
reactive metals) Confirmation No: 1883
) Our Ref. No: 14185-B
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This responds to the final Office Action dated October 5, 2006 for the above-referenced application, and places the application in condition for allowance. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.